

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

BRIAN A. JACKSON.

Plaintiff,

V.₃

NANCY A BERRYHILL, Deputy
Commissioner of Social Security for
Operations,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 3:17-CV-05312-DWC

ORDER ON STIPULATED MOTION FOR EAJA FEES

This Court has jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), Fed. R. Civ. P. 73 and Local Magistrate Judge Rule MJR 13. *See also* Consent to Proceed before a United States Magistrate Judge, Dkt. 6. This matter is before the Court on Plaintiff's "Stipulated Motion for Attorney Fees Pursuant to EAJA." Dkt. 26.

Based on the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412, (“EAJA”), Plaintiff’s motion (Dkt. 26), and the relevant record, the Court orders EAJA attorney’s fees of \$6,986.04 (“EAJA Award”) be awarded to Plaintiff. *Astrue v. Ratliff*, 560 U.S. 586, 591–97 (2010).

1 The Acting Commissioner shall contact the Department of Treasury after this Order is
2 entered to determine if the EAJA Award is subject to any offset. If the U.S. Department of the
3 Treasury verifies to the Office of General Counsel that Plaintiff does not owe a debt, the
4 government will honor Plaintiff's assignment of EAJA Award and pay the EAJA Award directly
5 to Tha Win, Plaintiff's counsel. If there is an offset, any remainder shall be made payable to
6 Plaintiff, based on the Department of the Treasury's Offset Program and standard practices, and
7 the check shall be mailed to Plaintiff's counsel, Tha Win, 606 Maynard Avenue South, Suite
8 201, Seattle, Washington 98104.

9 Dated this 12th day of June, 2018.

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11 David W. Christel
12 United States Magistrate Judge

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